

Card 1

I. Paraphrase

- 1) We view the subject in the same way. ONE
I _____ you on this subject.
- 2) I want you to focus on your report. MIND
I'd rather _____ on your report.
- 3) You can leave – no one will hold you. AT
You are _____ leave.
- 4) You'll be running certain risks by trusting them. WIND
You're likely _____ if you trust them.
- 5) You are to put an end to your aimless way of life. LINE
It's time _____ your aimless way of life.
- 6) Every tiny detail should be regarded. INTO
You'd _____ every tiny detail.
- 7) I'm sure he is an indecently rich man. ROLLING
He must _____.
- 8) He behaves as if everything is all right. MATTER
He pretends _____.
- 9) A teacher can always recognize a teacher. OUT
A teacher is capable _____ another teacher.
- 10) They say he was pretty drunk at the party last night. EIGHT
He's said _____ at the party last night.

II. Open close

- 1) He _____ for a fact that the meeting would be called off.
- 2) The gadget was the last _____ in.
- 3) You'll be paid 3000 \$, _____ it or leave it.
- 4) I _____ down to my last penny when at last I found a job.
- 5) It's polite to give a compliment in return _____ another.
- 6) After having worked for the company for ten years he set up a business of his _____.
- 7) You won't lose anything at _____ any _____ rate.
- 8) It was a very near _____ thing _____ but he recovered.

III. Vocabulary puzzle

- 1) a) *Make up a synonym to the underlined word in the sentence from the models given below*

P _ _ _ R E _ _ _ _ T Y _ _ _ D T _ _ E

- 1) We suppose that our future is quite uncertain.
- 2) A real friendship can't be measured with money.
- 3) The engine has enough strength to cope with the lift.
- 4) I had to concede the right-of-way to the other driver.
- b) *Make the derivatives from the words inserted in points 1 – 4*
- 5) He was hooked on movies with an _____ upshot.
- 6) These terms of the contract _____ us to cancel it at any time.
- 7) He hadn't expected to receive an _____ refusal.
- 8) This is no more than an _____ statement.

- c) *Derive synonyms to the words filled in gaps 5 – 8*

ERROR SEE AUTHORITY BEND

- 9) to point 5 _____
- 10) to point 6 _____
- 11) to point 7 _____
- 12) to point 8 _____

- 2) a) *Make up a synonym to the underlined word in the sentence from the models given below*

A _ _ _ Y P _ _ _ _ _ T S _ _ _ _ _ E S _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ E

- 1) They succeeded after many years of persistent labour.
- 2) What I am saying does not relate to you in any way.
- 3) It was hard to examine the script because of its improper state.
- 4) The drugs contain a mild anaesthetic to calm the pain.

b) Make the derivatives from the words inserted in points 1 – 4

- 5) A vacuum cleaner with a special _____ for dusting rugs.
- 6) This very case certainly demands _____.
- 7) 'Things are going to be all right,' mother whispered _____.
- 8) The people in the corridor started showing signs of _____ and anger.

c) Derive synonyms to the words filled in gaps 5 – 8

IRRITATE ATTACH INVESTIGATE PACIFY

- 9) to point 5 _____
- 10) to point 6 _____
- 11) to point 7 _____
- 12) to point 8 _____

IV. Word formation

a) LUXURY (2) LEGIBLE (2) PUBLIC (3) APPROVE (3)

- 1) They decided to mark the date in style and arranged a _____ party.
- 2) Jim's father _____ of his marriage to Mary, so the young couple escaped.
- 3) He's always worked for _____ owned companies.
- 4) We've increased the type size for greater _____.
- 5) The boss nodded _____, which witnessed his satisfaction.
- 6) A corresponding bill was submitted for _____ the other day.
- 7) Entries which are _____ will be disqualified.
- 8) His speech got a lot of _____ in the media.
- 9) She sits here _____ in the sun, while her husband does all the work.
- 10) I'm not in the habit of _____ my private life.

b) FLOWER (2) THINK (2) CLEAR (3) LITERATURE (3)

- 1) For the sake of _____, each of these strategies is dealt with separately.
- 2) The arguments sounded _____ so they lost the debates.
- 3) The floor was covered with _____ carpets.
- 4) She was _____ watching her children play in the garden.
- 5) The sailors were _____ smashed off board during that terrible storm.
- 6) Two percent of Americans are reported to be _____.
- 7) Wild plants _____ on the banks of the lake last year.
- 8) Everyone adored his _____ style.
- 9) The captain's _____ cost the whole team a victory.
- 10) Could you _____ your demands?

c) CASE (2) ABRUPT (2) LEGAL (3) SHAME (3)

- 1) We were shocked by the professor's _____ style.
- 2) Do you have any documents proving the _____ of the deal?
- 3) You are now to go to the office and _____ the stamp.
- 4) He cut her down quite _____ which was unacceptable.
- 5) Everyone was busy with the work so I began to be _____ of sitting idle.
- 6) Everyone was taken aback by her downright _____.
- 7) Roberts came around _____ just to make sure everything was all right.
- 8) The soldiers were confused by their fright and _____ weakness.
- 9) Smoking in public places is _____ in many countries.
- 10) A rare man has never come across doctors' rudeness and _____.

d) ADVANTAGE (2) COMPANY (2) SIGN (3) CONSCIOUS (3)

- 1) The error was so _____ that nobody had noticed it.
- 2) She was invited to the police station to verify her husband's _____.
- 3) She didn't hear a word as she'd been _____ for a couple of minutes.

- 4) Women used to be often _____ at work.
- 5) I'm sorry but I can't _____ you on this trip.
- 6) They went to Roger to see how he was for _____ sake.
- 7) The failure was due to the performer's _____.
- 8) He _____ his intent so clearly that there was no doubt he would do it.
- 9) Nick was an open and _____ person.
- 10) Free exchange of goods was _____ to all.

V. Make up words and fill them in

I C E T S H A P L U

- 1) Being a clerk in an insurance agency isn't much of a _____.
- 2) In _____ of being in a haste he managed to cope with it.
- 3) Couperwood, finding himself in a tight _____ and about to fail, had come to him at his office.
- 4) He tried to _____ himself together but he couldn't.
- 5) She let in the _____ and soon was out of sight.

VI. Three in one

- 1) The boys back to their great-grandfather.
No one wanted to go so we decided to ... lots.
We were waiting for the lawyer to ... light on the matter. _____
- 2) The staff still hold out ... that the president will change his mind.
The only thing left is to ... against
She finally gave up ... to see him again. _____
- 3) They will return in a couple of days at
... students have failed at the exam.
He will ... certainly accept the offer. _____
- 4) A true ruler always seeks ... good.
These two approaches have nothing in
He's in the habit of seeing something miraculous in the _____
- 5) It ... nothing to us in the scope of profit.
He didn't resemble a man of
He was actually left without ... of support. _____
- 6) The day of the exam was at
Aunt Mabel likes to hand out advice to the young people.
I can't believe you've done it by _____

V. Correct the mistakes

- 1) They spread the gossips with the view to make a fuss over the latest release.
_____.
- 2) He'd always been particular in food and while cooking he was attention himself.
_____.
- 3) He used to disapprove my hobby and always frowned at me while watching me dance.
_____.
- 4) Three hundred pounds in his disposal wasn't enough to fix the matter.
_____.
- 5) He's said to consult with his psychologist every time he goes to pieces.
_____.
- 6) He was full of whims and his resemblance with his weird brother was visible.
_____.

VI. Use the verbs given below to form a phrasal verb or a set expression and fill it in.

get slip put drop

- 1) You _____ it until she changes her evidence.
- 2) He was happy _____ the collection he had been dreaming of.
- 3) Don't make me think I _____! Do everything right.
- 4) While the story _____ he became famous.

- 5) Unfortunately the situation is impossible to _____.
- 6) Before you _____ make sure the alarm clock is on.
- 7) He _____ who was in charge there so he had no one to turn to.

TOTAL: 106 points